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**DETAILED ACTION**

This application has been transferred to Primary Examiner Kim M. Lewis, AU 3761.

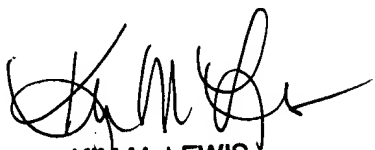
***Response to Amendment***

1. The reply filed on 1/22/01 is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Page 7 of the remark section is missing. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment.

**EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

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